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Via ECF

Hon. Richard J. Sullivan, United States District Judge
Southern District of New York
500 Pearl Street
New York, NY 10007-1312

Re: USA v. Kirk Bent
Docket No. 11 CR 605 (RJS)

Mr. Bertan's request is granted. IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT David K. Bertan is appointed to represent Mr. Bent as CJA counsel in the matter discussed below.

SO ORDERED:

Dated: 01/11/22



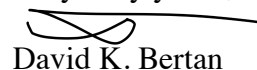
RICHARD J. SULLIVAN
U.S.C.J., Sitting by Designation

Dear Judge Sullivan:

I represented Mr. Bent in the above matter. On November 13, 2013, you sentenced him to concurrent terms of 5 years' imprisonment, followed by a lifetime term of supervised release. Mr. Bent was released from custody on October 22, 2015, and has been on supervised release since then. He recently called me, asking if his supervised release could be terminated. Accordingly, I am requesting that I be re-appointed to represent Mr. Bent so that I can file an application to terminate his supervised release.

Thank you for your consideration in this matter.

Very truly yours,



David K. Bertan

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cc: AUSA Christopher J. DiMase (via ECF)